

SENATE BILL 2577

By Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 63,
Chapter 17, relative to hearing instrument
specialists.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-17-207(a)(2), is amended by
deleting the subdivision and substituting:

(2)

(A) Have an education equivalent to two (2) years of accredited college
level coursework or national board for certification in hearing instrument sciences
(NBC-HIS) board certification; or

(B) Have at least ten (10) years of experience working for an audiologist
licensed in this state, with that experience being as an industrial hearing
conservationist; a lab technician doing hearing aid repairs, hearing aid
programming, loop installations, hearing aid analysis, and electronics repairs; or
another equivalent experience.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.